

LEWIS HANDED FIRST REBUKE

Miners Refuse Indorsement
In Kansas Case.

SERIOUS CHARGES MADE

Anonymous Letters Received by Leaders Intimate That Ohio Officials Sold Out to Operators—Sessions to Last Longer and Delegates To Be Paid \$15 Each for Overtime From National Treasury—Convention to Continue This Week.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—President Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America and Canada received his first rebuke in the convention of the organization. The delegates refused to accept a paragraph of the report of the committee on officers' reports commending the course of President Lewis in declining to countenance the strike of miners in Osage county, Kansas. The committee stated that it believed the local union should have taken the advice of President Lewis. There was a great deal of discussion of the paragraph and Mr. Lewis made a vigorous defense, but the motion to adopt was lost.

The question of the relation between the district and the national authority is the most important before the convention. In the matters of the Mercer-Butler strike in Pennsylvania, in the Hudson mine strike in Indiana, and the Arkansas strike, the delegates have approved the judgments of President Lewis and the national executive board, though representatives of the several districts named proposed bitterly. Indeed, it seemed the administration was to have a sweeping success until there came the setback of the convention's action on the Kansas strike. The condition will be finally dealt with later.

No allusion was made to the unsigned letter received by some of the leaders, intimating that some of the officials of Ohio district had "sold out" to operators. An investigation of the authorship of the letter is being made.

A motion that the convention should hold night sessions was lost, but it was decided not to adjourn the afternoon sessions until six o'clock. One delegate demanded to know "who would pay for the night shift." The national treasury will pay for the delegates staying over the time scheduled for the convention to close, which was last Saturday and a resolution was adopted that each delegate should receive fifteen dollars.

JUSTIFIES CONDUCT

Broughton Brandenburg Explains Forfeiture of Bond.

New York, Feb. 3.—A statement justifying his failure to respond to the calling of his name in court, to answer to the charges of grand larceny, was given out by Broughton Brandenburg, the writer, through his wife.

Brandenburg, who is wanted in connection with the selling to the New York Times of an article which he represented as having been written by the late Grover Cleveland but which was subsequently declared spurious, gives as his reason for forfeiting his bail the fact that he is without funds with which to retain handwriting and other experts to refute the expert testimony to be offered by the prosecution. As soon as he has obtained money enough to cover the cost of such expert testimony, he declares in his statement, he will return and face trial.

Pleads for Merchant Marine.

New York, Feb. 3.—A plea for a larger American mercantile marine as a means of acquiring new commercial outlets in South America, was made by John Barrett, director of the International Bureau of American Republics at the session of the National Merchant Marine congress held in the Metropolitan temple under the presidency of Rev. John Wesley Hill, the pastor of the church.

Root Lost In Mountains.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 3.—His unfamiliarity with the topography of the mountains about Hot Springs cost Senator-elect Root a tramp of six miles. Starting out alone for a brief stroll, Mr. Root lost his way and before he could locate a path leading back to the city he had traveled about six miles, rather to the detriment of his injured knee.

Oldest Minstrel Dies.

Boston, Feb. 3.—The death is announced of Charles H. Atkinson, said to have been the oldest negro minstrel in the United States, aged 72 years.

Ohio Troops Placed.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The Ohio state troops were assigned to the seventeenth place in the Taft inaugural parade.

THE MARKETS

CATTLE MARKET IS ACTIVE AND STRONG

Prices Generally 25 to 50 Cents Higher on Good Butcher Stuff—Calves and Hogs Also Up.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 2.—Receipts and shipments of live stock at the Cincinnati Union Stockyards today were:

Cattle Hogs Sheep
Receipts 1231 1726 98
Shipments 17 394 ..

Cattle: Active; strong, 15@25c higher on good fat butcher stuff; steady to 10c higher other grades; shippers \$5.50@6.25; extra \$6.35@6.50; butcher steers, extra \$5.85@6.50; good to choice \$5.00@5.75; common to fair \$3.50@4.65; heifers, extra \$5.25; good to choice \$4.35@5.10; common to fair \$2.50@4.25; cows, extra \$4.75@5.00; common to fair \$2.00@4.00; canners \$2.00@3.00; bulls strong; bolognas \$3.25@4.15; extra \$4.25; fat bulls \$4.35@4.85; milch cows good strong to a shade higher; others steady.

Calves: Active, strong to 25c higher; extra \$8.75; fair to good \$6.50@8.50; common and large \$5.00@8.25.

Hogs: Active, 25@50c higher; good to choice packers and butchers \$7.10@7.25; mixed packers \$6.60@7.10; stags \$4.50@5.75; common to choice \$4.50@5.75; common to choice heavy fat sows \$5.00@6.50; light shippers \$5.60@6.50; pigs (110 lbs. and less) \$4.75@5.50.

Sheep: Strong; extra \$5.10@5.25; good to choice, \$4.50@5.00; common to fair \$2.00@4.35.

Lambs: Strong; extra \$7.50; good to choice, \$7.00@7.40; common to fair \$5.00@6.85.

WHEAT AGAIN LOWER IN CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—An increase of nearly 5,000,000 bushels for the week in the world's visible supply of wheat created bearish sentiment in the wheat market here today and caused a net loss at the close of 1/2@3/4c. Corn, oats and provisions also closed weak.

Range of Futures.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High
WHEAT—		
May	1 07 3/4	1 09 1/2
July	97 3/4	98 1/2
Sept	94 3/4	95
Dec	95 3/4	95 3/4

	Low	Close
May	1 07 1/2	1 09 1/2
July	97 3/4	98 1/2
Sept	94 1/2	94 3/4
Dec	95 3/4	95 3/4

	Open	High
CORN—		
May	63	63 3/4
July	63 3/4	63 3/4
Sept	63	63 1/2

	Low	Close
May	63	63 1/2
July	63 3/4	63 3/4
Sept	63	63 1/2

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FISH FOR ELKHORN CREEK.

MIDWAY, Ky., Feb. 3.—A petition signed by many of the most prominent citizens of Woodford, Scott, Franklin, Bourbon and Fayette counties, has just been sent to the National Fisheries Commission at Washington, asking that supplies of young small-mouth black bass, crapples and goggle-eyes be furnished from the national hatchery for the purpose of taking the place of the thousands of fish destroyed in Elkhorn Creek last summer by the burned whisky from the Greenbaum distillery fire of August 4. The petition bears the name of Gov. Willson and practically every State official, in addition to a large number of prominent citizens of these counties.

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE.

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, rebuilds wasted nerve cells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. It is a godsend to weak, sick and debilitated people. "Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months," writes W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "but Electric Bitters cured me entirely." Only 50c. at Phillips Drug Company.

"SCOTTY" STARTS BACK TO THE WESTERN MINES

Hero of Death Valley on His "Uppers" But Intends to Recover Fortune.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Feb. 3.—Walter Scott, familiarly known as "Scotty," leaves this afternoon for California, after a visit of some weeks to his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Scott. For the past few days "Scotty" has been in the hospital here, suffering from a seven-inch scalp wound, received in a manner he refuses to make known.

"Scotty" gained much notoriety a few years ago by charting a train and making a record-breaking run from California to Chicago, throwing out gold by the handful to crowds at the stations where the trains stopped.

He has squandered the fortune he mined from his Death Valley claim, and is now on his "uppers."

He will now be backed by some Chicago capitalists he has interested in another mine in Death Valley he recently located, and he hopes shortly to be in possession of a greater pile than he previously carried from the fateful valley.

MULES BY THE POUND.

Col W. B. Burton, the well-known horse and mule buyer, of Lancaster, was in Richmond court day and made quite a novel trade. He bought six head of mules from John Creech, of East Bernstadt, and, not having an opportunity to see the animals, he agreed to buy them by the pound. He tells The Climax he paid eighteen cents per pound, the mules averaging 1,010 pounds. He also bought at Bob Walker's stables two head from John Baldwin for \$330. Mr. Burton shipped a load of mules to North Carolina yesterday.

Monday was very cold, the ground being covered with snow consequently a small crowd came to county court. There was little stock on the market except mules, quite a number of these changing hands at \$125 to \$150. Farmers say the snow will protect the wheat and little or no damage will be caused by the severe weather. Auctioneer W. P. Prewitt reports the sale of several plug horses at \$30 to \$75, many mules on market at from \$125 to \$210. He also reports over 2,000 head of cattle on the market, trade was brisk at from three to five cents.—Richmond Climax.

ABOLISHED CITY COUNCIL.

San Diego, Cal., has abolished its city council and adopted the commission plan of municipal government. The plan is to be put into operation May 1.

A mayor and five commissioners are to have exclusive control of city affairs, each of the five commissioners is to receive \$2,000 a year. One is to be commissioner of finance, ways and means; one commissioner of police, health and morals; one commissioner of public streets and buildings, one commissioner of fire and sewers and the fifth commissioner of water service. Meetings are to be held as one body weekly, with the mayor as presiding officer. The mayor is to receive \$3,000 a year.

FORTUNE TOLD.

You can have your fortune told also at the Auditorium, February 12th.

REVOLTS AT COLD STEEL.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich., suffering from severe rectal trouble, lies in an operation, "then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills," she writes, "till wholly cured." They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache. 25c. at Phillips Drug Store.

If One Is Cautious.

Home is a restful sort of place where we may all say just what we please if we are discreet about it.—Galveston News.

WINCHESTER MILLER MILLS.

The oldest and best institution in the county is the Winchester Roller Mills. Why not use home flour—the best made. Kerr Perfection and White Pearl flour has no equal.

Better than Coca Cola—more refreshing. Roxa Cola at Kidwell's. 1-29-1t.

Jones' soda fountain, 136 N. Main now handles Roxa Cola. 1-29-1t.

LOST—Found, for sale, for rent, advertise in the classified column

MONTGOMERY COUNTY REAL ESTATE ACTIVE

Deeds Recorded Last Month Show Many Transfers of Property Made.

MT. STERLING, Ky., Feb. 3.—The following deeds of transfer were recorded in the office of County Clerk King during the month of January, showing considerable activity in real estate:

Dan and Joe Drennan to Rezin G. Howell, 90 1/2 acres of land on Grassy Lick Creek for a consideration of \$8,146.38.

J. S. and M. F. Osborne to S. Everett Hall, of Powell county, 112 acres of land on Stepstone for a consideration of \$72,500.

C. R. Prewitt, Sheriff, to William Guilfoile, interest in 141 acres land on Somerset Creek for a consideration of \$558.05.

R. A. and Mary G. Chiles to J. W. Fosset, frame residence on Maysville street, for a consideration of \$1,800.

Harry G. and Virginia Hoffman to Allen Prewitt, brick residence on Clay street, for a consideration of \$4,300.

Jane B. Cox, of Lexington to Georgia Sledd, of Mt. Sterling, an interest in 64 acres of land on Spencer Creek at a consideration of \$500.

A. T. and Matilda Wood to James H. Wood, lot on High street, for \$100 and other considerations.

Jennie E. Shroft to H. W. Senieur, lot on Maysville street, for a consideration of \$200.

J. P. Thacker to Elmer Thacker, house and lot in this city for a consideration of \$250, etc.

O'Rear heirs to Judge E. C. O'Rear, interest in land on Hinkston Creek, for a consideration of \$100.

Dillard Smith to Isaac Jobe, three acres near Jeffersonville, at \$31.

John G. Winn, executor, house and lot on Maysville street, to Mrs. Mildred Denton, for a consideration of \$875.

Sells Nice Home.

Mr. John W. Boardman has sold to Mrs. W. D. Caywood, of Mechanicsburg, Ohio, his residence and two and one-half acres of land on Levee pike for \$3,000. Possession given April 1. Mrs. Caywood's brother, Alex Kirby, will move to the property.

Buys Good Farm.

J. Will Utterback, through W. Hoffman Wood, agent, purchased the farm of D. C. Tipton, lying on Hinkston Creek and containing about 107 3/4 acres, at a private figure. Possession will be given on March 1, 1909.

GROVER ASHLEY NOT GUILTY

CAMPTON, Ky., Feb. 3.—The jury in the case of the Commonwealth against Grover Ashley, a sixteen-year-old boy of Powell county, for the killing of Courtney Hall at a dance at Zacharia, this county, returned a verdict of not guilty, after having the case under consideration since Friday. The defense claimed that Hall was accidentally killed by Caleb Ashley, a brother of the defendant.

The jury in the case of the Commonwealth against Floyd Spencer, for the killing of Mildred Brewer while attending church has been out since Saturday evening and has not made any report.

MONEY FOR THE FARMERS.

HENDERSON, Ky., Feb. 3.—Hundreds of farmers were in the city yesterday to receive their additional 25 per cent on their tobacco deliveries. The additional amount of payment was caused through the sale of 5,000,000 pounds of the remaining tobacco in this district a few weeks ago. All day the association office was crowded with anxious men waiting their turn to receive their money. Several thousand dollars was paid out.

WHAT WRITERS MAKE

Free Lance W. J. Lampton Tells of Their Troubles and of Their Dividend.

E. L. Hancock, in the Bookman, has interviewed a number of "free lance" writers whose work is well known to editors of periodicals and Sunday editors. One of them is of peculiar interest to Winchester people as he is an old resident and is known to all.

"I send out," and it is W. J. Lampton speaking, "a good many more manuscripts than I wish I had to, to make one end meet and the other bread. Seriously speaking, I suppose I ship to various editors, chiefly in New York county, about 400 to 500 items yearly, including prose, verse, long bits and short ones. I should say they average about five dollars each. The smallest check I ever received was for 25 cents, and the biggest \$200. In all my experience of, say 20 years, I have not failed more than a dozen times to receive pay for the work I did, and the amount will not exceed \$100. Just what a free lance receives on an average for his labors I am not qualified to state definitely. I know one man, a hustler, who worked night and day, and his best yearly returns were \$2,000. He gave it up and became a reporter at about double what free lanceing paid. Another, a magazine free lance has stated publicly that he made \$6,000 a year at it. It depends largely on the market, where the goods are sold, or rather the customer for whom they are made to order. When a free lance merely lances, and sells his stuff to any buyer, taking all the risk himself, and more apt to dispose of it to newspapers than magazines, he usually takes any price that may be offered. On the other hand, if he is the kind of free lance who delivers goods on order, he usually makes his own price, or he knows what he will get before he begins the work. Editors are always willing to pay more for what they want than for what the writer with the stuff in hand wants them to want. It is easier writing to order than otherwise; that is to say, it is easier to deliver the goods on order, because in that way the writer has the subject supplied, which means that the most difficult part of the work is furnished him. In other words, the free lance who makes \$6,000 a year has less really hard work to perform than the man who makes \$2,000, besides the certainty of his market."

CIRCUIT COURT.

The February term of the Madison Circuit Court convened Tuesday morning, with his honor, Judge Benton, on the bench and Commonwealth's Attorney Crutcher present to look after the interests of the people. The dockets are about as usual, and it is believed all business will be pretty well cleared up during the three week's term. In instructing the jury, the court called attention to the different crimes, giving special emphasis to that of gambling and whisky selling. The charge was listened to attentively by the large audience. As The Climax goes to press no cases have been tried. The following gentlemen compose the grand jury: Foreman, J. W. Bales; J. S. Crutcher, S. E. Scott, Rufus Shearer, C. M. Tribble, Owen Stagner, I. D. Todd, E. C. Coy, R. W. Colyer, J. M. Riffe, James Lykins, S. A. Deatherage.—Richmond Climax.

VALENTINE PARTY.

Don't forget the Valentine party at the Auditorium Friday night, February 12th., given by the D. A. R. Come and enjoy the skating.

Is She?

Is a grass widow necessarily a vegetable?—Minneapolis Journal.

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Circulation Dept. OHIO.

FOR RENT.—Cottage on Lexington avenue. Apply Mrs. Rachel Ecton. 2-1-6t.

LOST.—Black silk scarf found on Maple street some little time ago. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement and calling on Mr. A. H. Simpson. 2-1-tf.

WANTED.—Gentlemen to call and see the suits and overcoats I am making for \$20, worth \$25 to \$30. GEORGE N. KOHLHASS. 2-1-3t.

WANTED.—Boarders, or a room for rent. Apply to Mrs. O. M. Flynn, 133 West Hickman street. 1-30-3t.

FOR SALE.—Bedroom suite, folding bed, kitchen cabinet, Moore's Air Tight stove, bath cabinet, Morris chair, desk chair and few rockers. 290 South Main street. 1-29-3t.

STRAYED.—From Pine Grove, January 25th, 1 red cow and 2 heifers, marked "X P" with tar. \$10 reward for their return to FRANK STIVERS, Athens, Ky., 1-26-10t.

FOUND.—Sigma Nu fraternity pin with owner's initials, T. K. P. on back. Chapter Beta Sigma. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement and applying at Baldwin Bros. jewelry store. 1-23-tf.

FOR RENT.—House of eight rooms, corner Hickman and Main. Rent reasonable. Apply to DR. VAUGHT 1-20-6t.

FOR SALE.—Coal at 21 North Main street. You will be pleased with both quality and price. 1-19-1mo.

FOUND.—Black belt. Owner can have same by calling at office and paying for this advertisement. 1-18-tf.

FOR SALE.—Grocery and meat shop, paying business. Terms reasonable. Address W. A. B. this office. 1-14-tf.

WANTED.—To take orders for making cakes, beaten biscuits, rolls, timbales and rosettes. MISS LUCY COLEMAN BROWNING, 218 College street. Home phone 654. 1-12-1mo.

FOR SALE.—Cheap, graphophone, and about 30 records, also large Morning Glory horn. Address N. R. B. this office. 1-9-tf.

WANTED.—To buy furs, scrap iron, and all kinds of metal. Best buyer in town. Chas. Zigman, Main and Washington. 1-19-1mo.

FOUND.—Coral pin on Main street. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement. 1-25-tf.

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